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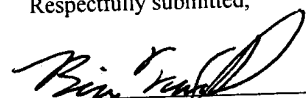
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE AFTER FINAL ACTION

Sir:

This paper is responsive to the final Office action mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on April 13, 2004, for the above-referenced patent application. Applicants believe that no fees are due with this submission. Nevertheless, please charge any required fees to Deposit Account No. 20-0531.

Amendments to the Claims are shown beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.